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**For: DIGITAL IMAGE COMPRESSION WITH SPATIALLY VARYING
QUALITY LEVELS DETERMINED BY IDENTIFYING AREAS OF
INTEREST**

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action
mailed on September 20, 2004, for which a petition and fee
for a two-month extension of time is being submitted
concurrently herewith. Please amend the above-identified
U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing
of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.